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PETITION FOR EXTENSION OF TIME UNDER 37 CFR 1.136(a) FY 2005 (Fees pursuant to the Consolidated Appropriations Act, 2005 (H.R. 4818).)		Docket Number (Optional) 418272003700	
Application Number 10/684,513		Filed September 16, 2003	
For BIOCHEMICAL METHODS FOR MEASURING METABOLIC FITNESS OF TISSUES OR WHOLE ORGANISMS			
Art Unit 1655		Examiner R.J. Gitomer	

This is a request under the provisions of 37 CFR 1.136(a) to extend the period for filing a reply in the above identified application.

The requested extension and fee are as follows (check time period desired and enter the appropriate fee below):

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☒ Applicant claims small entity status. See 37 CFR 1.27.

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